
Open Discussion for "Good of the County"

Mr. David Rose questioned the court about the grant for the Career Center in Dry Ridge and the Judge stated that we do not have any news regarding the CBDG that we applied for to help with the purchase of the building. Mr. Phil Knarr then questioned the Judge about the amount of money left in the Road Fund and the Judge told him the amount that was still available for road fund needs. He stated that we purchased more salt than in the past and that has stretched our Road budget. Mr. Hall stated that there was a fire on Keefer Road and that Lonnie Kuhn made the statement that they need a new pumper truck. There was discussion regarding the need of a new fire house in Corinth and Judge Link and Magistrate Austin stated that we are waiting for an appraisal on a piece of property that is a possible site for a new firehouse. We have also worked hard on getting a survey done which would help us get a Community Development Block Grant to help with the purchase of the property and to help build the building. We have been frustrated with not getting those surveys turned back in by the populace that received them. But Judge Link and Magistrate Austin stated that they are not giving up the process. Judge Link stated that we are required to gather a criteria of information from residents in that area and we will continue to try and acquire them. Magistrate Austin stated that we advertised that survey in the paper and asked constituents to return them and Judge Link said that the Federal government determines the protocol that we use to obtain those surveys.

Mr. Rose stated that we need to spend our tax dollars on public safety and that in his opinion any money we have should go to Fire Departments and Police protection.

Mr. Hall stated that the Corinth firehouse is an embarrassment and looks decrepit.

The building is falling in. Magistrate Austin asked that they give the court time to work on all angles and that the court is committed to this project. Magistrate Hammons stated that April 26th is opening day for the Grant County Little League and encouraged people to come out and support this activity. Judge Link also stated there will be an Easter Egg Hunt at the Park for County children.

Judge/Executive then reminded the members of the Fiscal Court that the next regular meeting will be held on Monday, April, 21, 2014 at the Grant County Courthouse at 7:00 P.M.

Motion of Richard Austin, seconded by Wanda Hammons, to adjourn until Monday April 21, 2014.

The following votes were taken: Richard Austin, Magistrate 1st District, votes, yes; Wanda Hammons, Magistrate 2nd District, votes, yes; Bobby Young, Magistrate 3rd District, Absent; and Hon. Darrell Link, County Judge/Executive, votes yes.

Grant County Judge Executive Darrell L. Link